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September 12, 2003

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: Application of Tomihiko ICHIKAWA  
COMPUTER NETWORK SYSTEM INCLUDING AN INFORMATION  
COLLECTOR COMPUTER  
**Assignee: NEC CORPORATION**  
Our Ref. Q77501

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Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 24 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 7 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>12</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>_____</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>_____</u>	\$0.00	
Independent claims	<u>2</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>_____</u>	x	\$84.00	=	<u>_____</u>	\$0.00	
Base Fee											\$750.00

<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>	<u>_____</u>	\$750.00
Recordation of Assignment	<u>_____</u>	\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<u>_____</u>	<u>_____</u> \$790.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$750.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.



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Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2002-268754	September 13, 2002

The priority document will be filed at a later date.

Respectfully submitted,  
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